Docket No.: 050212-0511 PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277

Yoshinori YAMAMOTO, et al. : Confirmation Number: 6259

Application No.: 10/613,999 : Group Art Unit: 2874

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For: OPTICAL FIBER, DISPERSION COMPENSATOR AND OPTICAL TRANSMISSION

SYSTEM

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action dated July 21, 2006. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.